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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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82-109

1. Whereas: Since the inception of Federal Financial Aid Programs in 1958 the
2. commitment to the social goals of equal opportunity and access have made
3. higher education accessible to millions of young people, and
4. Whereas: Student Financial Aid is critical to the realization of national goals
5. through the encouragement of higher education for young people; and
6. Whereas: Over 48% of students enrolled at the University of North Florida are
7. recipients of some form of student aid in 1981-82; and
8. Whereas: President Reagan is proposing significant cutbacks in the Pell Grants
9. and the CWSP, and the elimination of guaranteed student loan for graduate
10. students, and the elimination of the SEOG and NDSL programs; and
11. Whereas: These cutbacks could mean a significant loss for students at the UNF,
12. and have a very serious impact on enrollment and student body composition.
13. Therefore Be It Resolved: That the SGA of the University of North Florida
14. Express opposition to the proposed cutback in federally funded student
15. financial aid and to the negative impact such reduction in aid would have
16. on students and their families, on this institution, and on local economy.
17. Be It Further Resolved: That the SGA of the University of North Florida
18. registers its fear that dramatic budgetary cutbacks would reverse a
19. longstanding commitment to higher education as a top national priority as
20. nothing matters more to the future of our efforts to identify, provide

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Introduced By: Alex Hall

Committee Action: Cabinet Approved

House Action: Passed

Frederick M. Wilkinson

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Enacted

Vetoed

President S.G.A.

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1. access for, and educate more of the talent of this nation by assuring that
2. no student of ability be denied an opportunity for higher education
3. because of inadequate financial aid.

4. Be It Further Resolved: That the SGA is in full support of a city rally to
5. inform the public and students about the Reagan Administration Proposed
6. Budget and the effects on what will happen if this budget is to pass
7. through Congress.

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Vetoed

President S.G.A.